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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Herbert Bachler et al.  
Serial No.: 09/610,284  
Filed: July 6, 2000  
Title: HEARING AID  
Docket No.: 32794US1

LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: BOX MISSING PARTS

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO 1533) dated September 7, 2000 (copy enclosed), the required Declaration and Power of Attorney was sent to the Patent Office on September 7, 2000. A check for \$130.00 was enclosed to cover the late filing fee surcharge for the enclosed declaration. Accordingly, all the missing parts of the application have been filed and no further action is required.

If there are any further fees resulting from this communication please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 32794.

Respectfully submitted,  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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Sir:

Applicant encloses herewith the required Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application. A check for \$130.00 is enclosed to cover the late filing fee surcharge for the enclosed declaration. Applicant has not yet received a Notice of Missing Parts.

If there are any further fees resulting from this communication not covered by the enclosed check, or if no check was enclosed, please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 32794US1.

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